



Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of  
Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed  
SCS HB 1135 entitled:

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**AN ACT**

To repeal sections 536.041 and 536.325, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof four new  
sections relating to administrative procedures and review.

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In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Respectfully,

Terry L. Spieler  
Secretary of the Senate

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1 education or other school officers, recorders and treasurers of  
2 cities, towns and villages, copies of all records required to be  
3 made by them and all other information in relation to the funds  
4 and condition of schools and the management thereof that is  
5 deemed necessary;

6 (6) Provide blanks suitable for use by officials in  
7 reporting the information required by the board;

8 (7) When conditions demand, cause the laws relating to  
9 schools to be published in a separate volume, with pertinent  
10 notes and comments, for the guidance of those charged with the  
11 execution of the laws;

12 (8) Grant, without fee except as provided in section  
13 168.021, certificates of qualification and licenses to teach in  
14 any of the public schools of the state, establish requirements  
15 therefor, formulate regulations governing the issuance thereof,  
16 and cause the certificates to be revoked for the reasons and in  
17 the manner provided in section 168.071;

18 (9) Classify the public schools of the state, subject to  
19 limitations provided by law and subdivision (14) of this section,  
20 establish requirements for the schools of each class, and  
21 formulate rules governing the inspection and accreditation of  
22 schools preparatory to classification, with such requirements  
23 taking effect not less than two years from the date of adoption  
24 of the proposed rule by the state board of education, provided  
25 that this condition shall not apply to any requirement for which  
26 a time line for adoption is mandated in either federal or state  
27 law;

28 (10) Make an annual report on or before the first Wednesday  
29 after the first day of January to the general assembly or, when



1 it is not in session, to the governor for publication and  
2 transmission to the general assembly. The report shall be for  
3 the last preceding school year, and shall include:

4 (a) A statement of the number of public schools in the  
5 state, the number of pupils attending the schools, their sex, and  
6 the branches taught;

7 (b) A statement of the number of teachers employed, their  
8 sex, their professional training, and their average salary;

9 (c) A statement of the receipts and disbursements of public  
10 school funds of every description, their sources, and the  
11 purposes for which they were disbursed;

12 (d) Suggestions for the improvement of public schools; and

13 (e) Any other information relative to the educational  
14 interests of the state that the law requires or the board deems  
15 important;

16 (11) Make an annual report to the general assembly and the  
17 governor concerning coordination with other agencies and  
18 departments of government that support family literacy programs  
19 and other services which influence educational attainment of  
20 children of all ages;

21 (12) Require from the chief officer of each division of the  
22 department of elementary and secondary education, on or before  
23 the thirty-first day of August of each year, reports containing  
24 information the board deems important and desires for  
25 publication;

26 (13) Cause fifty copies of its annual report to be reserved  
27 for the use of each division of the state department of  
28 elementary and secondary education, and ten copies for  
29 preservation in the state library;

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1           (14) Promulgate rules under which the board shall classify  
2 the public schools of the state. Said rules shall include but  
3 not be limited to the standards, appropriate scoring guides,  
4 forms, instruments, and procedures used in determining the  
5 accreditation status of a district. The board shall make  
6 classification and accreditation determinations consistent with  
7 said rules, and shall not deviate from said rules without  
8 properly promulgating such rules pursuant to the provisions of  
9 chapter 536;

10           (15) Have other powers and duties prescribed by law."; and  
11           Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

